



ANZAC Day Parade & Service 2012

Participation Information



The Dawn Service

1. The _____
(Organisation/Defence Unit)

will* / will not* be laying a wreath at the Dawn Service at the State War Memorial Precinct, Kings Park.

(ONE Representative only from each Association/Defence Unit)

The Parade and Service – The Esplanade

2. The above Unit Association/Defence Unit **will* / will not*** be participating in the Parade and Service at The Esplanade. We expect _____ members on parade, and those marching are eligible to do so under the conditions set down by the League.

Please note: that these numbers assist us with the allocation of the bands

3. Please provide Briefing Notes for the ABC Commentary on the attached sheet.

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Appointment: _____

Address: _____

Phone No: _____ (email) _____

Note: * Delete as appropriate

Please complete and return with your media release and ADF Cadet Support forms no later than Friday, 2 March 2012 to:

ANZAC Day Co-ordinator
RSL WA Branch
PO Box 3023
EAST PERTH WA 6892

or:

Fax: 9287 3732
Email: rsllwahq@iinet.net.au



ANZAC Day Parade & Service 2012 CADET SUPPORT



All Australian Cadet Corps support needs to be made through ANZAC House. If your Association requires support, applications can be made on this form.

Please note: NO applications made straight to Units or individuals will be accepted.

If you **DO NOT** require support, please disregard this form.

Association: _____

We would prefer to have the support of:

- Army
- RAN
- RAAF

Type of Support and number of Cadets required:

- Flag Orderlies _____
- Banner Orderlies _____

(Association **must** provide own Banner Carriers/Frogs.
If you are unable to do so, please let us know so alternative arrangements can be made)

Contact Person: _____

Contact Phone number: _____

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ANZAC Day Commemorative March Protocols



The Dawn Service, Gunfire Breakfast, ANZAC Day Parade, and ANZAC Day Commemorative Service are the prime opportunities to remember those who gave so much for our country – especially those who are no longer with us.

In respect of participating in the ANZAC Day Commemorative March, participants should be aware that the consensus of the returned servicemen and women, who form the body of this March, is that they be allowed to retain the integrity of their individual units for as long as possible. While they recognise the importance of, and respect the participation of next of kin (NOK), they request the following guidelines be observed by all participants:

- All marchers should conform to forming up and marching 4 abreast.
- Veterans should march directly behind their unit banner, accompanied by one carer if needed. That carer should be of an age where they directly assist the veteran.
- Veterans having difficulty completing the March are encouraged to use the transport provided, but must remain in the vehicle until the March is complete.
- If a veteran must fall out of the March, he/she should be directed to a Marshall for assistance. Unit Associations should continue so as not to disrupt the movement of the March.
- NOK should march behind the veterans and be old enough to march the full distance without assistance. **Please note baby prams are not permitted.**
- NOK representation should be restricted to 1 per veteran. Attire should be neat and tidy out of respect to the fallen (torn denim, sporting attire, dirty joggers etc are not appreciated).
- **Carrying pictures of relatives is not supported.**
- NOK are to wear medals on the right breast (left breast is reserved for the original owners).
- Media services have been advised not to conduct interviews 'on the move' during the march.
- Veterans are requested not to join or leave the march other than at the Assembly or Dispersal points.
- **Only recognised National Flags are to be carried in the Parade**
- **Please note that is not a cultural parade but a March for ADF, and Ex-Service personnel, and National Dress and NOK not wearing medals is not supported**

We would be grateful if you adopted these guidelines and by doing so you will not only honour your fallen comrades and forebears, but you will also help maintain the ANZAC tradition we are all so proud of.